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for the reception of students. The university buildings were completed some years ago on the outskirts of this city, but the opening was delayed until funds sufficient for the maintenance of the institution were raised. The university will control a series of lectures, and will support a comprehensive system of fellowships in connection with leading educational institutions of America and Europe. It also will maintain an institute for research, to be operated in connection with the various federal departments.

### Meeting of Commercial Travelers.

Lexington, Ky., June 4.—Lexington is entertaining during the remainder of this week the annual grand council session of the United Commercial Travelers. Many members of the order are in attendance from West Virginia, Kentucky and the District of Columbia.

J. W. Bolen has returned from McAlester where he attended federal court.

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## AMENDMENTS TO CHARTER FILED

### INITIATIVE PETITIONS FOR AMENDING RECALL AND MAK- ING CHIEF OF POLICE ELECTIVE.

This morning Attorney C. F. Green on behalf of the petitioners, filed two initiative petitions to the city charter calling for a special election within sixty days.

One petition seeks to amend the recall provision of the Charter, making it an easier matter to recall incompetent or corrupt officers of the city government. The other would make the chief of police elective instead of appointive. About 260 names were on each petition.

The commissioners gave no indication of what disposition they would make of the petitions but the matter is now squarely up to them.

## LEHIGH MINER HEADS FEDERATION OF LABOR

Oklahoma City, June 3.—Edgar Penton, miner, of Lehigh, Okla., is the new president of the State Federation of Labor, according to unofficial returns made public by Secretary Ollie Wilson Monday morning. His majority over his opponent, Pete Hanrahy, miner, of McAlester, was about 1,000 votes. Ollie S. Wilson, printer, of Oklahoma City was re-elected secretary by a majority of about 900 over Arthur Millier, miner, of Coalgate.

The following vice presidents were elected: First, Sam Adkins, railway carman, Shawnee; second, George F. Brady, miner, Coalgate; third, John Kirk, miner, Coalgate. L. T. Core was elected fourth vice president in the first election. He is a miner of Alderson.

Auditors and tellers were elected as follows: D. N. Ferguson, carpenter, Ardmore; Alix Bayoris, miner, Alderson, and M. K. Akin, carpenter, Shawnee.

## STORM DAMAGE AROUND DURANT

Durant, Ok., June 3.—The wind and rain storm which visited this section last evening about 8 o'clock did considerable damage in the north and western part of Bryan county. At Kenefick the Methodist church was blown from its foundation and considerably damaged, while other small buildings were damaged to some extent in that vicinity. The wind came at a great velocity and lasted for over an hour, and the citizens of that city spent considerable of the night in storm cellars.

The Goodman school house, about ten miles northwest of Durant, was completely demolished by the storm and several farm houses and barns were blown down, but so far as can be ascertained no loss of life has been reported.

Reports from the section that was visited by the storm are that very little damage was done to growing crops.

In this city no damage was done, although the wind blew quite a gale for a few minutes, and the clouds looked bad for some time. The storm did not extend further south than Durant no rain whatever falling a few miles south of the city.

The rain was worth a great deal to the growing crops, which had begun to suffer in some sections for moisture.

In the federal court at McAlester on pleas of guilty, Grover Gaar was given a sentence of six months and \$100, and Cleve Sanders, 30 days and \$100. Both were charged with introducing liquor. The prison sentences will be served in Muskogee jail.

### Showers Around Chickasha.

Chickasha, Ok., June 3.—Scattered showers fell over this country today. They did little good only to cool the atmosphere, which for the past week has hovered around the August mark. Oats are damaged 50 per cent, while the wheat crop is cut a third. Corn and cotton are holding up well.

## SENATE COMMITTEE REVERSES ITSELF

Washington, June 3.—Reversing its former action in voting to place wheat, flour, oatmeal and fresh meats on the dutiable list, the Senate Finance sub-committee in charge of the agricultural schedule voted late today to place live stock, wheat and oats on the freelist. This action, it was authoritatively stated, was taken to meet the views of President Wilson; Senator Simmons, chairman of the Finance Committee, and other administration leaders who disapproved the decision announced yesterday to tax meats 10 per cent, compensatory to a duty in cattle in the Underwood bill, and to assess a compensatory duty on both flour and oatmeal. The vote to reconsider was taken in the subcommittee on a motion made by Senator Simmons, ex officio member of all the subcommittees handling the various tariff schedules, when he returned to the capital from a conference with the president.

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matter of raw wool and sugar. As he still is standing uncompromisingly for the wool and sugar schedules, so it is declared he will stand firmly for free cattle, sheep and hogs and free wheat and oats, now that this has been determined upon as the party policy.

### Need Not Back Stamp Letters.

The clerks in the postoffice are rejoicing over a new ruling that was received from Postmaster General Burleson, stating in substance that it will not be necessary to "back stamp" ordinary mail in the future. The order, however, does not affect the back stamping of the registered and special delivery mail, it being held necessary to continue with this mail as formerly.

As stated at the local postoffice the elimination of the work will save at least one-fourth of the time taken to handle the mails as they arrive. "Back stamping" is simply stamping the time of arrival on each separate piece of mail at its destination, and the order holds that the mail is handled as quickly as possible and that stamping the date of its arrival is unnecessary work and may as well therefore, be eliminated.

### CHANGE IN THE NEWS CIRCULATION MANAGERS

J. W. Simpkins has resigned as circulation manager of the Evening News and Arthur Scobey has accepted the position. He is authorized to collect and receipt for all subscriptions to either daily or weekly.

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## FIERCE STRUGGLE FOR MATAMORAS

Brownsville, Tex., June 3.—Mexican rebels early today attacked Matamoros and a battle raged all day and until late tonight but the garrison, comprising about 250 regulars and 200 volunteers, is still in possession of the town despite the advance of Gen. Blanco with about 1,000 men.

The report comes from Consul Johnson that the federals in the trenches immediately in front of the United States Consul office left those trenches.

It is reported by Federals coming over to the American side that Mayor Barragan was shot and killed. This is said to have occurred about 3 o'clock.

There are many rumors as to the number of killed and wounded. The estimate on dead is 200 to 300, and the wounded 300 to 500.

As no one will be permitted to cross to the Mexican side it is impossible to night to verify these figures.

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A bunch of Arkansas Bible students declares that hell is all a myth. What in creation are we to do for a place to which we may consign our enemies? If there is no hell we shall have to invent one.

The Democrat is in favor of economy, but is opposed to the attempt to economize at the expense and detriment of the state schools. Cut salaries and lop off expense anywhere it is possible except our schools. Let's improve them regardless of cost.—Mayes County Democrat.

The Majestic always caters to the taste of its patrons and the program of this evening is one that will appeal to all classes. The first will be "The Hero of Little Italy," in which a small boy by his daring averts an impending tragedy. The next is "Broncho Billie's Gratefulness." This is one of the best Broncho Billie stories yet staged. Coming tomorrow: John Bunny.

## KILLED BY A WILD MULE

Saturday night an old man by the name of Fitzpatrick was killed a short distance from Allen by being thrown from his mule which he was riding. Deceased was said to be about sixty years of age.

The De Sota never fails to present a program full of interest to young and old alike. This evening two good dramas will be on the program. The first is "Barred from the Mails." This features Harry Benham, Mignon Anderson and Eugene Moore. The next one is "Youth and Jealousy." It is a story of intense interest and is guaranteed to please.

## Artificial Sapphires.

The chemical composition of the synthetic sapphire is the same as that of the natural sapphires. The only difference is that the real sapphire is crystallized, while the artificial sapphire is fused alumina or alumina glass. Between artificial and real sapphires there is just such a difference as there is between potato sugar and rock candy.—Harper's Weekly.

## His Job.

"What are the principal activities of the official position of my friend occupies?" "Those involved in holding on to it," replied Senator Sorghum.—Washington Star.

## Seeking to Free Goebel Slayer.

Frankfort, Ky., June 4.—The State Prison Commission today took up for consideration an application for the parole of Henry E. Youtsey, serving a life sentence for alleged participation in the assassination of William Goebel, the Democratic contestant for governor of Kentucky, who was shot down in the State House yard in this city, February 3, 1900.

## Springbrook News.

No sickness to report this week we are glad to say.

All the farmers are about to get up with their work but are in need of a good rain.

Miss Nora Norton visited Miss Bonnie Sanders last Sunday evening. There were two Bills along. The girls said they sure did have a nice time gathering flowers.

The young folks of this place have organized a base ball team. Look out boys we are bound to win the day.

Mrs. Rushing and son and daughters, Mary and Eric, were visitors at Egypt last Sunday. They say they sure had a nice time and a fine dinner. Eric says he has an Egypt girl picked out, but has never learned her name.

Claud Norton looks sad lately. What is the matter, old boy, did you get there about half an hour too late again.

Mrs. Mullins says some one has been getting her roses. Never mind boys wild roses will bloom soon.

Lon Mosier reported a nice time at the singing Sunday evening at Pickett.

Sid Moore and Rue Boxley are going to put up a store at Pickett soon. They are at present chopping cotton for a change.

Charles Laughlin made a flying trip to Green Hill Sunday.

We learn Will Cooper starts for California soon. Are you going alone, Bill?

Elby Sanders looked bad Sunday. Cheer up, old sport. The worst is yet to come.

Mon Mullins is looking for a girl. If any body sees a girl that wants to take a boy to raise let him know at once. BROWN EYES.

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## The Daughter of David Kerr

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## SYNOPSIS.

CHAPTER I—Gloria Kerr, a motherless girl who has spent most of her life at school, arrives at her father's home in Belmont. David Kerr is the political boss of the town and is anxious to prevent his daughter learning of his real character.

CHAPTER II—Kendall, representing the Chicago packers, is negotiating with Judge Gilbert, Kerr's chief adviser, for a valuable franchise. They fear the opposition of Joe Wright, editor of the reform paper.

CHAPTER III—Kerr asks the assistance of Judge Gilbert in introducing Gloria to Belmont society and promises to help him put through the packers' franchise and let him have all the graft.

CHAPTER IV—Gloria meets Joe Wright at the Gilberts. It appears they are on intimate terms, having met previously in a touring party in Europe.

CHAPTER V—Gloria twits Wright on his failure to keep an engagement to meet her in Paris. He explains that the death of his mother prevented his going to Paris.

CHAPTER VI—The Gilberts invite Gloria to stay with them pending the furnishing of the Kerr home.

CHAPTER VII—One society bud who refused to meet Gloria is forced to do so when her father is made to feel Kerr's power.

CHAPTER VIII—Wright begins his fight against the proposed franchise in the columns of his paper, the Belmont News.

(Continued From Monday.)

Morrison went to the map of Belmont on the wall and located the city terminus of the proposed line.

"Here's where they start on their own tracks," he explained. "You see, there's a provision in the charter of the Belmont Traction Company whereby any interurban line can use its tracks into the heart of the city upon payment of a fair rental. Here's the Townsend Park Line coming down Bluff Street, and right here where Bluff Street crosses Maple Avenue the interurban's own tracks will start."

"Then how does it run?"

"South on Maple Avenue and Maple road, to a private right of way which begins east of the stock-yards and parallels the county road to Corona."

Wright studied the map earnestly.

"You see, I'm too new to know that neighborhood," he said. "Why did they pick Maple Avenue?"

"It's the only street they can use in that part of town. It's the natural artery for that new district out there, since there are hills on both sides of it."

Wright still puzzled over the map. "What are those red lines crossing Maple Avenue about two blocks south of Bluff Street?" was his next question.

"Those! They are the railway tracks of all the lines entering Belmont except those that come down the river from the north."

"Are they going to build a viaduct there?"

"Nothing is said about it."

The new venture would be a good thing for Belmont—if the company would confine itself to good works. The most objectionable thing was the lack of frankness on the part of the men back of the enterprise. Here was a corporation seeking to serve the public and not taking the public into its confidence.

While Morrison and the publisher of the News were canvassing the situation, a telegram from the Chicago News Agency was delivered to Wright. It read:

"Hammersley is the private secretary of Adolphus Koerner, Koerner & Co., packers. Others are clerks in law office of Kendall, Strang & Kendall."

"By George!" exclaimed Wright. "The stock-yards company!"

Then he remembered what the county surveyor had innocently told. There could be no doubt of it. The stock-yards company was making some move which it did not dare make openly.

"It looks like it," assented Morrison. "Have you any idea what they want?"

"Not the slightest. They're not fighting the traction company, I know."

This, thought Wright, explained Gilbert's many visits to Chicago recently. The stock-yards attorney had apparently no connection with the new company, but Wright and Morrison, too, when it was explained to him, were both of the opinion that he was directing every move. If he was in it, David Kerr was in it; and if David Kerr was in it, he was not in it for his health.

In seeking to unravel the tangled skein they now had a loose end to work with. They could not imagine, however, why the stock-yards company was entering the street car field in such a peculiar manner.

Wright sat with his chair tilted back against the wall, his hands behind his head, gazing at the map on the wall opposite.

"Morrison, a newspaper man has to trust in many cases to his sixth sense; that's his nose for news, for the big story. Often he misses fire, but when he does hit the bull's-eye everybody knows it." Such was Wright's premonition as he brought his chair down on the floor and prepared to tell the lawyer what his sixth sense had made

him feel was the real object of the game. "The stock-yards company is preparing to steal a street."

"What!" gasped Morrison. "What makes you think so?"

"Everything. See how the river is eating up the only tracks to the stock-yards. They've got to get to the yards farther east. Maple Avenue is the easiest way. The franchise says nothing about what kind of cars are to run, how they are to be propelled, or what they are to carry. I'll bet they are going to run cattle cars filled with hogs and sheep and cattle down Maple Avenue, and pull them with steam engines, too."

"I won't believe it," protested the lawyer. "Maple Avenue is a residence street!"

"The stock-yards company is a foreign corporation interested only in dividends."

"Look at Benton Park!"

"Yes, take a good look; you won't want to in a year from now."

"I don't believe it."

"Anyway, that's the theory I'm going on. If it is correct, I've struck the nail on the head with my first guess. If it is wrong, I'll keep hammering away until the public demands and is given the truth. If I'm wrong, then they'll soon be smoked out. They can't stand being so misinterpreted when asking the public for a favor. But I'm right, I tell you. They're going to connect with the railway tracks where they cross Maple Avenue two blocks below Bluff Street. Such a belt line railway will be extremely valuable."

It was after six o'clock before they decided to leave the office. As every pro and con of the situation had not been exhausted, they adjourned to the Belmont Club for dinner and there continued puzzling over the franchise and its meaning.

Shortly before eight o'clock Wright drained his coffee cup and looked across the table at his companion.

"Doing anything tonight?" he inquired.

"No. Nothing on hand that I know of."

"I'm calling on Miss Kerr tonight. I want you to go with me; I can't go alone."

"I shall be very glad to," replied the young lawyer, successfully concealing his surprise.

Wright realized the fight was on. He also knew what Gloria had come to mean to him, and after what they had said last night he was afraid to see her alone. Now his first duty was to the public, that public which so often accepts benefits and sacrifices all unconscious of its own gain and what the cost has been. For the general good, for an ideal, for his belief in what a paper should be, he was putting aside—just for the time, his heart told him—the one woman who could make him supremely happy.

The deferring of hope was heavy upon Wright's heart as with Morrison he walked in silence to Gilbert's house. To himself he kept repeating some verses from their "birthday book."

In the twilight we parted,  
In the night broken-hearted  
We dreamed a sweet dream,  
Then we met and we parted  
Again broken-hearted,  
But dreams come again.

## CHAPTER IX.

The story Wright had printed the first day and the reply it drew from the Banner the next morning caused the News to be awaited with undisguised eagerness on the second afternoon. This was heightened on the part of the men in the syndicate interested in the franchise by the pertinent questions put to them in the morning by News reporters. David Kerr was called on the telephone half a dozen times by his lieutenants, and arrangements were made to have a line open to Esmeralda Springs at three-thirty, the hour when the News was issued.

Although they were prepared to discount some of the story because of the questions asked them, yet none of the ring men was prepared for a revelation of the scheme such as the News made. Black headlines ran across four columns and the story also took up most of the second page. There was a map of the proposed interurban route, and pictures of pretty homes on Maple Avenue. But from one end of the story to the other there was no mention of David Kerr or of the local backing being given the bill before the council. It was expressly stated that the incorporators of the new company were merely dummies and that they were acting in the interest of the stock-yards company.

Amos Gilbert in an interview denied any knowledge of the transaction, saying that his connection with the stock-yards company was merely nominal and that he did not even know if the company was interested in the line proposed. He did not see how, as a company, it could be.

Gilbert sat in his office as soon as he secured a paper and read the story word for word over the telephone to Kerr. The latter promptly announced that he would be home the next day, and ordered that Gloria be taken from Belmont on any pretext whatever for a few days until the fight had been allowed to die down. The next day was Sunday, on which Wright published no paper, and Kerr would be home before another issue appeared. He agreed with Gilbert that the Banner ought to ridicule the alleged expose.

Sunday night, much to her surprise but not much against her will, Gloria went to St. Louis with Mrs. Gilbert to pick out furniture for Locust Lawn. She did not know that her father had returned from Esmeralda Springs that morning and had been closeted all afternoon with Gilbert and John Kendall, who had hurried to Belmont in response to a telegram. The girl had

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not seen Wright all day, nor had she seen him Saturday, but there came from him a box of roses at noon. Little witch that she was, she meant to surprise him by sending him a note of thanks from St. Louis. She knew he would join her and Mrs. Gilbert there on her hint that they would be glad to see him.

Wright received her note and perceived the slightly veiled invitation, but he was too busy even to answer. It was a week that contained more excitement than Belmont had seen since, a frontier village, it had struggled with the question of whether the state should secede or remain in the Union. David Kerr found himself confronted by a formidable line of battle. The Banner kept pounding away at the News, but the afternoon paper was not to be diverted from its purpose. The citizens on Maple Avenue formed the Maple League, and wore buttons on which were a maple leaf and the legend, "Help us save our homes." The car line was to run through the seventh and eighth wards, and the aldermen in those wards were deluged with letters, post cards, telephone calls and personal visits. Finally they went to David Kerr and begged him that if he had enough votes without them to let them oppose the franchise as they were in the midst of their canvass for re-election. The boss held them in line.

The bill had its second reading at the council meeting Tuesday, but under orders from Kerr nothing further was done with it at that time. He began to worry about the approaching election. What to him was the passing of the bill at that time compared to the control of the city for the next two years? If he let it sleep now and the election went his way then it could be passed soon after. By the time another election rolled around, Belmont would have forgotten.

So it came about that the Kerr adherents tried to forget the franchise. When the bill disappeared they were loud in their denunciation of the opposition thieves who had stolen it. With this outburst they were willing to subside and forget the matter, but this the News would not permit. Wright kept it to the front and they were forced to accept it as an issue. The continuous attitude of apology necessitated by this was weakening them every day. The independent wave which had been sweeping over the country had been late in striking Belmont, there having been no newspaper to marshal the forces, but now it was increasing to the volume of a tidal wave which Kerr would have hard work pouring off upon.

(To be Continued.)

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### Allen News.

N. S. Olivo returned from a business trip to Ada the latter part of last week.

Attorneys Sanders, Williams, Roland and Croxton of Ada were here Monday and Tuesday attending court.

County Court opened here Monday morning with County Judge King presiding and the following criminal cases were disposed of: Henry Braden pleaded guilty to selling liquor and given a fine of fifty dollars and thirty days in jail; G. Blevins found guilty and fined ten dollars for being drunk in a public place; J. Knox Greer found guilty of selling liquor and given a fine of fifty dollars and thirty days in jail. An effort is being made by the County Judge and County Attorney to clear the docket and this should be strongly commended by every citizen.

B. O. Fry was an Ada visitor the latter part of last week.

M. B. Donaghey was over from Ada Monday looking after his property interests here.

Miss Clara Browder, the efficient court stenographer, was attending court here Monday.

Several from here attended the clos-

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### CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Sweet potato slips and frying chickens. Jno. D. Rindard 47 5td

C. E. Wingo was a business visitor to Konawa this morning.

Special Officer Ed Brents is in the city visiting his family.

According to the government thermometer the highest temperature Tuesday was 93 degrees.

The weather man holds out very little hope for rain today or tomorrow.

Miss Mattie Weedman of Dewitt, Ark., is visiting her sister Mrs. R. O. Lawrence.

L. T. Walters is at Oklahoma City attending a meeting of the state embalming board of which he is secretary.

P. W. Smith of Maud was in the city today on business and on a flying visit to W. H. Rogers and wife.

T. P. Holt returned today from Allen where he attended the session of county court held Monday and Tuesday.

President Briles states that the enrollment of the normal is now 512. The 600 mark will probably be passed within another week.

The Civic and Cemetery Association will receive 10 per cent of the proceeds of Dubinsky Bros. show Friday night. 51-3td

This hot weather is making Manager Frick of the ice factory wear a broad smile. For the past two weeks the plant has been running to its full capacity and two cars per day have been shipped out.

Wm. McDougall of Washington, Indiana, and H. R. Snyder of Petersburg arrived today to look after their interests here. Mr. Snyder says the flooded regions are recovering from the damage done by the overflow and that corn planting is well under way in those sections. He also reports that between St. Louis and Springfield the country is needing rain very badly.

Mrs. W. B. Vaughn wife of a prominent business man of Wynnewood and little Billie Vaughn are visiting her mother, Mrs. E. S. Woodward of Ada for a week or two. They report excellent crop prospects in that section.

**Life of Life in the Tropics.**  
Ink deteriorates very quickly in the tropics, and often has the consistency of gum. Steel pens rust very quickly during the wet season.

John P. Crawford and R. M. Roddie returned Tuesday evening from Oklahoma City where they had been at work for Ada's interests in the proposed constitutional amendment locating certain schools. They express themselves as very well satisfied with the results of their trip.

## PLAYER PIANOS

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## A GOOSE EGG FOR ARDMORE

ADA ELKS CONTINUE SERIES OF VICTORIES—SCORE 7 TO 0.

The Ada Elks continued their unbroken series of victories Tuesday afternoon by putting another over the Ardmore team by a score of 7 to 0. It was a highly interesting game from start to finish, but the visitors could not cope with the fast Elk team.

### The Game.

Elks—	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E
Taylor, 2b	2	1	0	4	4	0	
James, cf	4	1	0	3	0	0	
McDaniel, lf	5	0	2	1	1	0	
Kiser, c	2	0	1	6	0	1	
Tolbert, 1b	4	1	1	8	2	0	
Davidson, 3b	4	0	1	1	3	0	
Roddie, rf	3	1	2	4	0	0	
McMillan ss	3	1	0	0	2	1	
Jones, p	3	2	1	0	0	0	

Total 30 7 8 27 12 2

Ardmore—	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E
Price, 2b, rf	4	0	2	0	2	0	
Lavers, rf, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	1	
Jennings, p	4	0	0	0	2	0	
Brown, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0	
Merrill, 3b	2	0	0	2	4	1	
Lathrop, 1b	3	0	2	10	4	0	
McCollum, ss	4	0	0	3	1	0	
Chaney, cf, c	4	0	0	3	0	1	
Peak, c, cf	4	0	2	4	1	2	

Total 33 0 7 24 17 5

Elks 22 0 2 10 0 0 7  
Ardmore 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

**SUMMARY**—2-base hits, Roddie, Jones; First on balls, off Jones 2, Jennings 4; Struck out, by Jones 5, Jennings 4; Left on bases, Ada 3, Ardmore 1. Double play, Davidson to Taylor to Tolbert; Passed ball, Peak; 1st base on errors, Ada 3, Ardmore 1; Hit by pitcher, Jones 1, Jennings 2. Time—1 hr., 40 min. Umpire—Sweatt.

### Notes From the Labor World.

About 8,000,000 men are employed in regular occupations in Great Britain.

In 1912 the total number of strikes and lockouts in Canada was reported as 148.

Actual construction will soon begin upon a six-story labor temple in Cleveland, O., to cost \$60,000.

The union of boilermakers in England has, by a referendum vote, decided to withdraw from the Labor Party. The labor unions of Houston, Tex., have subscribed over \$500 toward the establishment of a tubercular clinic in that city.

The carpenters, electrical workers and other unions in Galveston, Tex., have taken steps to form a Building Trades Council.

Thirty-two bills were introduced into the state legislature of New York for the purpose of effecting a re-organization of the state labor bureau.

It is estimated that work will be supplied for skilled laborers in Ohio Nebraska and Indiana for the next five years as a result of the recent floods. In Nebraska the greatest damage was done by tornadoes and windstorms.

There is no reason for bridge and

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### Trinity University Commencement.

Waxahachie, Tex., June 4.—An unusually large class received their diplomas today at the forty-fourth annual commencement exercises at Trinity University. The address to the graduates was delivered by Rev. John Balcom Shaw, D. D., of Chicago.

Do not worry over lost articles—A NEWS WANT AD will find them.

### Many Graduates at Columbia.

New York, June 4.—Columbia University, which boasts of the largest enrollment of any educational institution in America, held its 159th commencement today. Nearly 2,000 degrees were conferred upon the graduates of the several departments of the university.

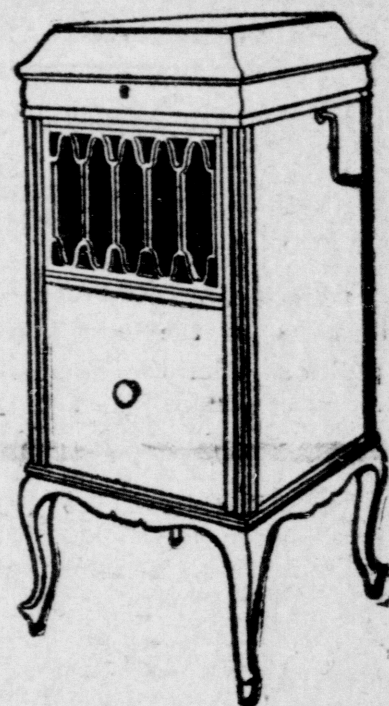
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structural iron workers to be out of work this summer, according to the officers of the International Union. The large number of new bridges to be built will furnish employment for all the men available.

A general council composed of representatives of welfare organizations has been formed in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Frederick Schoof, of Philadelphia, is president; Mrs. John Hays Hammond, vice president and Mrs. C. H. Shelton of Washington, secretary.

Last year the Italian government gave official notice to its female employees in the telephonic service that they should not marry under the age of 28 years. Recently a new order has been announced that no married woman need solicit admission into the service.

At Winnipeg, Manit., a labor representation committee has been formed for the purpose of securing labor representation upon all public bodies for the purpose of organizing the working class into one consolidated political body. W. B. Simpson was elected chairman.

The 90,000 members of the Bricklayers' and Stonemasons' International Union are preparing to vote on the question of affiliating with the American Federation of Labor. It is said that other trades have been gradually encroaching on the trade of the bricklayers and they decided to join the federation for self protection.

During the past year there has been a considerable falling off in the number of strikes in France. There were 1,471 strikes in all, involving 230,646 strikers, employed by 16,048 different firms and corporations. The total number of days lost amounted to no less than 4,096,393 compared with about 5,000,000 during the previous year. Of these strikes 261 were successful, 529 partially successful, 681 failed entirely, and only 21 lasted more than 100 days.

### Railway Business for March.

For the month of March the operating income per mile of line decreased 31.3 per cent for the railways of the east, increased 6.6 per cent for the railways of the south and increased 9.4 per cent for the railways of the west as compared with March, 1912. The average for the railways of the entire country decreased 9.9 per cent.

This operating income for the 222,086 miles of line summarized by the Bureau of Railway Economics from the reports of the railways to the Interstate Commerce Commission aggregated for the month \$52,137,897, or

\$235 per mile of line, which is equivalent to \$7.57 per mile of line per day. Operating income is that proportion of their receipts which remains available to the railways for rentals, interest on bonds, appropriations for betterments, improvements, new construction and for dividends.

The aggregate of the total operating revenues for the month was \$241,048,818, an increase of \$9,864,272 over March, 1912. The operating expenses were \$178,234,167, or \$14,104,236 more than for March, 1912. The net operating revenue was \$62,814,258, an increase of 7.7 per cent per mile of line over March, 1912, leaving the operating income 9.9 per cent less per mile of line as stated.

Please do not ask to enroll children in the training school at the normal. We positively can not take another pupil. C. W. BRILES.

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From now up until the day we begin to move we are going to give 15 per cent discount for cash on every article in the house except Globe-Wernicke Book Cases and Cane Bottom Chairs.

We don't think it is necessary for us to enlarge on the facts that our prices are at all times lower than anywhere else, and for nine years that we have engaged in Ada in the Furniture business we forced every Furniture merchant to come down with the prices.

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### STEFANSON READY FOR ARCTIC TRIP

Victoria, B. C., June 4.—The preparations for the Canadian Arctic expedition under the command of Vilhjalmur Stefansson are practically completed and within a few days the intrepid explorer, accompanied by his wife, will sail in the regular mail steamer for Nome, Alaska, to join the other members of the expedition who are now waiting for their ship, the 247-ton steam whaler Karluk, to sail from Esquimault, B. C., where the ship was overhauled and equipped for its arctic voyage, to Nome, the rendezvous of the expedition.

The object of the expedition, which sails under the British flag and the cost of which is entirely defrayed by the Canadian government, is not to find the pole, but to ascertain, if possible, the existence of a large body of land within the arctic circle which, many scientists believe, surrounds or includes the region of the pole itself. If conditions permit, the expedition will make as thorough an exploration as possible of the unknown continent and take possession of it in the name of Canada. To do this work thoroughly, five noted scientists, each one an expert in his particular line, will accompany the expedition. The list in-

cludes J. J. O'Neill, a mining expert and geologist, who will incidentally explore the copper deposits on Victoria Island; George Malloch, an expert geologist who will try to ascertain the presence of coal deposits; James Murray of Glasgow, the noted oceanographer and biologist, who had accompanied Lieut. Shackleton's antarctic expedition, and Dr. R. M. Anderson, who will devote himself especially to the study of the blond Eskimos, discovered by Stefansson on a previous expedition.

Although two other expeditions with similar objects in view, the Amundsen expedition under the Danish flag, and the McMillan expedition under the American flag, are preparing to start for the far North to find the "unknown continent," there will be no race between the three expeditions, only friendly rivalry. As the three expeditions are taking different routes many hundreds of miles apart they will in no way interfere with one another and may not even come in contact with each other.

The steam whaler Karluk, which, fully equipped and prepared for its polar voyage, will sail from Esquimault in a few days, will be under the command of Capt. Robert Bartlett, an experienced polar traveler, who was captain of Admiral Peary's ship on his last successful voyage. The Karluk will sail for Nome, Alaska, where Commander Stefansson will join the expedition. His wife will, of course, not accompany the expedition but will return to her home to await the return of her husband to whom she was married only a year ago.

From Nome the Karluk will sail for Point Barrow, the most northerly point on the continent, where the expedition will await the arrival of the other ship, now being equipped for taking part in the voyage. It is expected that the two ships will meet at Point Barrow about August 1. The subsequent plans depend entirely upon meteorological conditions. If an easterly wind should prevail, the expedition will be able to sail around the point without delay. But, if the wind should be from the West, it is likely that the ice would be packed so tight that the two ships would have to wait until January of next year before being able to start on their exploring tour.

If the wind and weather conditions should be favorable, the expedition will reach Herschel Island in two days' journey from Point Barrow. There the expedition will be divided. One party, under the command of Dr. R. M. Anderson, will remain on the island, establish a base of supplies and devote itself to its task, the study of the blond Eskimos, and the geological exploration of the island. The party will have at its service the

smaller of the two ships of the expedition, while Commander Stefansson in the Karluk will push northward in search of the unknown continent. It will follow along the 141st meridian, which divides Alaska from Canada. If there is really such a continent, it is expected that it will be reached within a day's sail. This, of course, depends almost entirely upon the weather conditions. If Commander Stefansson should find the continent, he will first establish a base of supplies before starting for the interior on an exploring tour. The expedition is well provisioned for several years, but expects to help out the larder by shooting musk oxen, caribou and other animals which are believed to be plentiful in those regions. Even if everything goes well it is not expected that the expedition will return to civilization before the end of three or four years. The smaller vessel will make an annual trip to Alaska to keep up communication between the explorers and their friends.

### LIVED ON RAW EGGS

Mr. Richard's Experience With Different Diets. Peaches and Buttermilk for Three Years.

Cecilton, Md.—Mr. George Richards, of this place, during the past 12 years, has probably tried more different diets than the average person would ever use in a lifetime.

What he has to say about his experiments, must therefore be highly interesting to anyone suffering from indigestion or stomach troubles of any kind. He says: "For more than 12 years, I suffered with stomach troubles, and paid hundreds of dollars for doctor bills and medicines. I was also operated on for piles.

I lived on dried peaches and buttermilk for nearly three years. The only thing that would not give me pain was raw eggs. I was a physical wreck. I could not sleep, and was as near crazy as a man could well be.

I must say that after taking two 25-cent packages of Theodor's Black-Draught, it did me more good than all I ever spent for other medicines.

I have been working daily on the farm ever since, and I am as hard as iron. This purely vegetable remedy has been successful for me for more than 70 years. Try it. But be sure that it's "Theodor's."

### Center-Lanham Happenings.

Mr. Grady Garret is prospecting this week at Elmer, Okla., where he intends locating. We will miss this family from Center, but best wishes go with them.

Mrs. Parker has been on sick list past week.

Dr. White reports much sickness in and around Center, mostly among children.

School at Center closed Friday. Mathematics and spelling contests were had in morning, by the various classes. After dinner teachers and pupils took an outing on Springbrook near the big bridge, where the enjoyable time occurred that made them forget they ever had a sigh or a cry over a hard problem, caused teachers to forget of the handshakes which confront them in school work. Some fished and caught fish "es" some waded the stream. The boys prepared a large grape vine swing, which would span the creek. Of course one of the teachers had to try it first to test its durability when her hands gave away and down she came into the water. Of course her rescuers

were many and the occasion only added merriment to the outing. Miss Gaar offered prizes in her department and following were the recipients. 4th grade spelling, Geneva Garret; 5th grade spelling, Pauline Austell; 6th grade spelling, Winnie Jones.

Misses Erba McCulloh and Ethel Gaar, the amiable teachers at Center the past term, left Sunday for Ada to attend normal.

Mr. Montgomery and son Ross of Lightning Ridge passed through this section Saturday.

Mrs. Curt Sloan of Asher, is visiting in Center this week. Her husband accompanied her, but returned home.

Mrs. Melissa Davis, was a passenger at Vanoss Sunday, enroute to Gainesville, Tex., where she will enroll as a pupils in an art school.

Mrs. Laura Blackburn was in Ada Monday on business.

Mrs. Saunders and children were shoppers in Ada Wednesday.

Mrs. Clark and son of Vanoss were in Center Thursday.

J. E. McSarrow a piano tuner, of Ada, formerly of Oklahoma City, was working over this section in behalf of his interests Thursday.

Owing to no definite arrangements, the singing class at Center will not sing the 3rd Sunday afternoon as has been stated. However 'tis hoped by all who love music, that a date will be set, soon, and have one more enjoyable time in song. There will be several noted songsters present at the appointed time.

Mrs. J. R. Viney is visiting in the Harold home at Ada this week.

Children's Day 2nd Sunday program from 10 to 12 a. m. You are invited at Center.

The B. Y. P. U. meets at 3 o'clock each Sunday. You are invited to attend these services. You will find we have a noble band of young people and that they stand for something.

Mr. Wiley Corvin and Miss Glennie Griffith were married at the bride's home Sunday at 11:30 p. m. Bro. Stringer, in a short but very impressive manner made them one.

Dinner was announced where, relatives and friends of the contracting parties were served, numbering about forty-five. The dinner was all one could wish. Mr. and Mrs. Corvin were the recipients of several presents.

They left at 4:30 p. m. for Ada where they will purchase supplies for their home, after which a dinner will be awaiting them at the groom's parents at Egypt Monday. Mr. Corvin is a progressive young farmer, and has lived in Egypt for several years, and needs no introduction to his community, as he is favorably known for his sterling qualities, sobriety and Christian influence. He is to be congratulated on winning the jewel he did. Miss Griffith has lived in Oklahoma several years, however, of Ohio by birth. She has ranked among one of the best literary instructors of the county. To know her was to love her and her many school friends will miss her from their rank. Many good wishes attend her, and that their lives be one continued happiness.

Bros. Stringer and Gaar ate supper in the Walpole home Sunday.

It might be a good idea to keep in touch with the people in this community for you can't find a better place in Pontotoc to live.

Messrs. Gaar and Saunders were guests at the Corvin-Griffith wedding Sunday and they were served at first table and they were still in the din-

ing room when the last were served. The preacher declared a fine chance for somebody to purchase a crop as these gentlemen wouldn't be able to work any more this spring and summer. They both report a fine crop of corn, and cotton, crab grass abundantly, and the improved cocklebur.

Call around and get their figures. SEMPER IDEM.

### Sherman City Limits Extended.

Sherman, Tex., June 3.—Sherman's population in the corporate limits of the city was increased by 200 last night, when the city council accepted the proposition of a number of citizens of South Sherman to come in to the city limits. The territory taken in by petition covers that section from South Montgomery street to Lake avenue, south, and from East Central avenue to Elm street, east and west. The section comprises about 1,200 acres, and is in what is

termed the Texas Nursery Company Addition, most of the people living in that section working for this plant. Two-thirds of the property owners signed the petition to come in.

### Campfire Girls Enjoy Outing.

Bright and early Monday morning the Campfire Girls, an organization similar to that of the Boy Scouts, left for Sandy and spent the day there, cooking all three meals in true camp style. The day was spent most pleasantly in the woods along the creek. The girls were in charge of Miss Mollie McMillan.

Following is the list of those composing the party: Mattie Stubblefield, Nora McKinney, Susie Taylor, Exa Nolen, Beulah Crawford, Lola Horton, Gussie Levin, Lenora McKendree, Lillian McKendree, Dorothy Duncan, Mildred Reed, Laraine Housel, Lillian Gibbs, Tommie Lee Worthington, Lucille Littlefield.

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Years ago the only way to get this mixture was to make it at home, which is messy and troublesome. Nowa days skilled chemists do this better than ourselves. By asking at the drug store for the ready-to-use product—called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy"—you will get a large bottle for about 50 cents. Some druggists make their own but

it is usually to sticky, so insist upon getting "Wyeth's" which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is the best remedy for dandruff, dry, feverish, itchy scalp and to stop falling hair.

Folks like "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur" because no one can possibly tell that you darkened your hair, as it does it so naturally and evenly, says a well-known downtown druggist. You dampen a sponge or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This requires but a few moments, by morning the gray hair disappears and after another application or two is restored to its natural color and looks even more beautiful and glossy than ever. Gwin & Mays Drug Co., Ada, Oklahoma. Adv

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